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I) Title of Selected Paper: *The Impact of Transnational Interactions on the Organizational Capacities of Environmental Non-governmental Organizations in Lithuania*
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II) Title of Selected Paper: *Can the Third Sector Be Built from the Top? The Case of Microfinance in Europe*
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III) Title of Selected Paper: *Setting up a System of Indicators of the Additional Social Value of Voluntary Work. The Case of Tuscany*
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IV) Title of Selected Paper: *European Integration and the Role of Citizens' Organizations in European Policy: A Bottom-up Approach regarding European Healthcare*
Name/s of Author/s: Melody Ross
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V) Title of Selected Paper: *Charting Out Cooperative State-third Sector Relationships*
Name/s of Author/s: Wolfgang Dörner
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VI) Title of Selected Paper: *Theorising State/Third Sector Partnerships: Towards a Social Policy Networking Models?*

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VII) Title of Selected Paper: *Toward a Viable Concept 'Civil Society'*

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